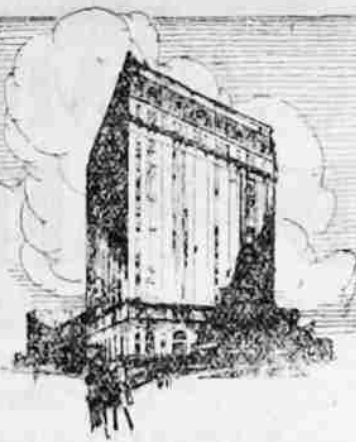


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NATIONAL WEEK OF SONG.

The Standard takes pleasure in encouraging any movement which has for its object the advancement of music and the education of the people to a better understanding of and love of music. Therefore we take pleasure in calling attention to the plans for the observance of a National Week of Song, commencing next Sunday, Washington's birthday. Here is the proclamation which has been issued in connection with the week. It explains the objects of the observance:

"Because God, in the victory for righteousness, and for the peace He has given us, has given us occasion for great joy, and because joy is an emotion that can be best expressed in song, and because singing is one of the greatest unifying and nationalizing influences, and because the week of Washington's birthday has been designated as the National Week of Song, a week when the whole nation will unite as a mighty chorus to sing the songs we love, it is deemed especially appropriate at this time to suggest that the week of February 22 to 28, inclusive, be set aside for the singing of such songs as will express our joy, awaken a love for God and country, stimulate a true spirit of devotion and loyalty, unite us in our civic interests, and develop that spirit of brotherhood which will make us a better people and a greater nation.

"Because of the far-reaching influence for good and the great joy to be derived from the observance of the National Week of Song, also because of the great praise, such as can best be given

in song, is due Him from Whom all blessing flow, this proclamation calls upon all who believe in America and American ideals to join earnestly in the observance of this significant event. That this is done in schools and churches, by choral societies, welfare clubs, woman's clubs, men's clubs, and all kindred organizations."

PENMANSHIP AND CONVERSATION DWINDLING ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

Some wit has said that the old adage about the pen's being mightier than the sword should be modernized to read:

"The typewriter is mightier than the machine gun."

In so far as practicable purposes are concerned, the typewriter has replaced the pen just as the machine gun has crowded the sword out of war honors.

It once was the great pride of men and women to be good penmen. In many homes today there are samples of fine penmanship that have been treasured and displayed with pride as the work of some member of the family in generations gone by.

But in this day and age the ability to write a graceful and legible hand is possessed by few. Many who have been good penmen have lost the art through neglect and the typewriter is chiefly to blame.

One typewriter company takes advantage of the poor penmanship of the present age as propaganda for advertising, the company announcing through periodicals that persons preferred to get a legible letter written on a typewriter to an illegible scrawl written with pen and ink.

The announcement that scores of Ogden school children have been awarded marks of merit for accomplishments in penmanship comes as a pleasing surprise. They are to be commended for taking an interest in an art which is being neglected by many.

Along with good penmanship has departed the art of conversation. This time the player piano, the phonograph, cards and the movies can be blamed. There was a time when folks were obliged to remain at home evenings and they had ways and means of making these evening pleasant. Conversation

was the means of spending many pleasant hours.

What happens today in the average home? If guests are present and time seems to drag a lively record is placed upon the phonograph or somebody pumps a roll or two on the player piano. Then there may be recourse to a game or cards or else everybody troops off to the movies.

LET'S SAVE DAYLIGHT.

Let's put Ogden in the ranks of the other progressive cities which have adopted the daylight system following the repeal of the national act by congress. Adoption of the plan is another move for health and efficiency.

Sunlight is a powerful factor for health. Many of us are cooped up all day long in offices or factories and the pleasure of absorbing sunshine is denied us. If the daylight system is placed in effect again we again shall enjoy the privilege of having three or four hours of sunshine in the late spring and summer after our day's work is done.

Take the case of the city worker under the old system. Many are required to remain at work until 6 o'clock p. m. By the time these workers get home and have dinner it is about 7:30 o'clock. If they desire to visit the canyon or summer resorts after dinner it is nearly dark before they get started. Many mothers deny themselves such evening outings in the summer because of their unwillingness to have children out at night.

Under the daylight saving system these bad features are in great part eliminated. Persons are encouraged by the daylight hours to be in the open more and being in the open adds to their health reserve.

Let's adopt the daylight saving system.

DEFICIT CHILDREN STILL CLASSED AS LAWBREAKERS.

The children's bureau of the United States department of labor has found that young child offenders in many parts of the United States must face the same sort of court trial as that given to criminals.

The bureau found that although every state except Wyoming had legislation providing for juvenile probation, less than half the courts trying children's cases actually had probation service and less than one-fifth had regular full-time probation officers paid for by the court.

It was found that many of the children brought before the courts were handicapped by heredity, faulty home training or bad influences in the community, yet many courts failed to secure adequate information concerning the child's home conditions.

The bureau found that children in small towns and rural districts had the poorest chance for an adequate hearing as the courts in less populous places were generally ill equipped for children's work.

It is important that the men and women who are employed to handle children in need of special care be understanding, patient, experienced and have a love for the work. Otherwise a boy or girl who takes a wrong step and comes in contact with the authorities may be handled in such a manner that the path taken in the future is the wrong, not the right one.

WIRELESS BAN LIFTED.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—All wartime restrictions on internal radio communication in the United States were removed effective February 29, under an executive order signed today by President Wilson.

PARLIAMENT THANKED.

PARIS, Feb. 17.—Thanks to the French parliament for the recent vote saying that he deserved well of the republic were expressed in a message read by President Poincaré before the senate and chamber of deputies today.

ICE-MAROONED GOBS AT QUEBEC'S WINTER SPORT

QUEBEC—Quebec has opened its arms to about 300 American Jackies and 30 officers—marooned there in the ice. The boys are skiing, snowshoeing, tobogganing and tobogganing to their hearts' content. It has put a new international interest into Quebec winter sports. Picture shows how well the gobs take the spill after a slide down the slope.



RELIGION HELD NEEDED INSTEAD OF MORE LEGISLATION

The need of today is not more legislation but more religion declared President A. W. Ivins, of the board of trustees of the Utah Agricultural college, in an address before the assembled student body. Quoting the financial expert Roger W. Babson to the effect that lack of religious feelings was the cause of our economic unrest, President Ivins characterized the world today as a watch without springs. "You cannot hatch chickens from sterile eggs," declared President Ivins. "Neither can you expect a civilization to produce without the vitalizing germ of religion."

"The greatest problem pressing for solution today is the labor problem. You cannot solve this by granting shorter hours or higher wages. You can only defer the day of final solution or dissolution. We must secure a satisfied citizenry before our labor problem is solved. Satisfaction doesn't come from the material comforts alone. It is the matter of the spirit."

"Today we find our churches deserted by the working classes. Yet the churches furnish the only organization in existence which are generating the right ideals of conduct. In this time of trouble and strife, when the very foundations of our civil and religious structures have been assailed it becomes the duty of every citizen to unite in the defense of our ideals."

President Ivins spoke at the special chapel exercises occasioned by a visit of the board of trustees to the institution.

Women of Woodcraft Meeting in Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 17.—The board of managers of the Women of Woodcraft for the western district comprising the states of Oregon, California, Washington, Nevada, Idaho, Utah, Montana, Colorado and Wyoming, was in annual conference here today. The sessions probably will last all this week, it was said.

The board will meet Thursday with the Home Council of the organization comprising 24 delegates from states in the west, and it is expected a site for the Woodcraft home, to be built somewhere in the west will be selected then.

Douglas Fir Selling at \$100 a Thousand

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 17.—Douglas fir lumber of certain grades is selling at \$100 a thousand, the first time in the history that it has gone to that price, lumbermen said here. The big advance in the higher grades has carried with it an upward movement of lumber products all along the line.

The present unprecedented prices to be due to the continued shortage of care.

Hale Holden Allowed to Resign Position

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Resignation of Hale Holden as regional director of railroads in the central western region was accepted by Director General Hines to permit him to resume his duties as president of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and Colorado & Southern railroad companies.

Vermont Governor Is Against Prohibition

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 17.—Gov. Percival W. Clement, of Vermont, has sent a letter to Gov. Carl E. Milliken of Maine, in reply to the latter's invitation for Vermont to join Maine and other states in opposing Rhode Island's fight against the federal prohibition amendment in which he not only refuses to accept the invitation but expresses the hope that Rhode Island will be successful in overturning the amendment.

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Farmers Protesting Against Gronna Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Protest against the Gronna bill, which seeks to terminate at once the existence of the United States grain corporation, were heard by the senate agriculture committee today from western farmers' organizations and associations of grain traders.

The bill would have the effect of weakening the guaranteed price on wheat, the witnesses said. Farmer representatives urged new legislation to extend the \$2.25 guaranteed price for a year or more beyond June 1.

"You can hang Barnes for all we care," John A. Simpson, president of the Oklahoma Farmers' union, told the committee, referring to Julius Barnes, wheat administrator and head of the grain corporation. "But we want the guaranteed price to remain. We figure that there are 100 co-operative farmers' elevators full of wheat now, on which there might be a loss if this bill passed."

Republicans to Name Hoover on Ballot

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 17.—The name of Herbert Hoover will be placed on the Republican presidential preference ballot in Indiana, it was announced by Dr. Harry E. Barnard, former state food administrator. Dr. Barnard, who has just returned from New York where he conferred with friends of Mr. Hoover, stated that petitions now are prepared which will be distributed over the state within the next few days.

Pope Permits Marriage of Austrian Divorcees

VIENNA, Feb. 16.—The statement made by the local newspaper Der Morgen, February 2, (published in the United States February 9), to the effect that by an announcement authorized by the pope the marriage of divorcees would be permitted in Austrian Catholic churches beginning the present month, was inaccurate.

The story, it is now said, had as its basic alleged statements of certain priests who, it is asserted, advised divorcees that they might again marry before a registrar and continue unimpairing their relations with the church. The alleged statements of the priests are declared to have carried an implied promise that the re-marriage of divorcees shortly would be made regular by the Rome authorities.

Increased Fares Reduce Traffic and Do Harm

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Increased fares on electric railways materially reduces traffic, Dr. Delos F. Wilcox, expert analyst to the federal electric railways commission, declared in an address before the city club here. The higher fares, he added, endanger the business interests of a city.

EXPERT CHEMIST DIES

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 17.—Dr. Francis C. Phillips, aged 69 years, widely known as an expert on chemistry, died at his home late today of influenza and pneumonia.

Bankers to Make Big Loan to the Chinese

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Bankers of the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan, who are reported from Peking to be ready to make a loan of approximately \$20,000,000 to China are included in those who will be in a consortium which is being planned to finance China on an extensive scale. This loan, however, is not a part of the consortium project but a temporary advance to meet urgent needs of the Chinese government.

Thomas W. Lamont of New York, in en route to China to represent the American bankers.

Massachusetts Reports Increased Living Costs

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—An increase of 92 per cent since 1914 in the cost of living in Massachusetts is shown in a report to the legislature submitted today by the state commission on the necessities of life. The advance, the commission finds, is due largely to increased demands and increased supply, both neutral outgrowths of the war.

As a remedy for the general situation, legislation is deemed powerless and likely to do more harm than good.

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